



Texas Department of State Health Services  
School Health Program



**81st Legislative Session  
School Health and Public Education  
2009 Related Legislation**

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- ★ **Bill Links Column:**
  - The bill number provides access to a complete history of the bill
  - Either of the two delivery icons will bring up the enrolled version of the text of the bill in its entirety.
  - A second set of delivery icons indicates a FISCAL NOTE and provides access to funding information relative to the bill.
- ★ **Area of Impact Column:**













Each bill listed is identified by one or more health program administration icons which generally indicate the area of school health most impacted by the legislation. The KEY for the icons appears below.
- ★ **Agency Column:**













If known, the agency responsible for administering the legislation has been noted and a link provided for contact information.
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This is generally indicates an adoption of rules or other means. An "\*" beside the bill number notes if this information is available. If so, a description can be found in the addendum when created.



















**SCHOOL HEALTH AREA OF IMPACT – ICON KEYS:**





















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|  | HEALTH SERVICES              |  | HEALTH EDUCATION   |
|  | ADMINISTRATION               |  | PARENT INVOLVEMENT |
|  | FOOD SERVICE                 |  | PHYSICAL EDUCATION |
|  | COUNSELING and MENTAL HEALTH |  | SCHOOL SAFETY      |



















| AREA OF IMPACT  | AGENCY   | BILL LINKS  | BILL INFORMATION   |
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|   |  |   | SENATE BILLS   |
|    | <a href="#">TEA</a>  | <a href="#">SB21</a><br>   | <b>Senate Bill 21</b> <b>Senate Author: Zaffirini</b><br><br>Relating to an enhanced quality full-day pre-kindergarten program provided by public school districts in conjunction with community providers.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB130 |
|    | <a href="#">TEA</a>  | <a href="#">SB29</a><br>   | <b>Senate Bill 29</b> <b>Senate Author: Zaffirini</b><br><br>Relating to bullying through electronic means in public schools.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee  |
|    | <a href="#">TEA</a>  | <a href="#">SB33</a><br>   | <b>Senate Bill 33</b> <b>Senate Author: Zaffirini</b><br><br>Relating to school district requirements regarding parental notification and documentation in connection with placement into disciplinary alternative education programs.<br><br>Last Action: 02-24-09 S Education Committee<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee |
|  | <a href="#">TEA</a>  | <a href="#">SB38</a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 38</b> <b>Senate Author: Zaffirini</b><br><br>Relating to considering school district disciplinary placement information for accountability purposes.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |
|  |  | <a href="#">SB48</a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 48</b> <b>Senate Author: Zaffirini</b><br><br>Relating to the offense of hazing.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Higher Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |
|  | <a href="#">TXDOT</a><br><a href="#">DSHS</a><br><a href="#">TXDPS</a> | <a href="#">SB61</a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 61</b> <b>Senate Author: Zaffirini</b><br><br>Relating to the offense of failing to secure a child passenger in a motor vehicle and to fines for the offense.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09<br>S Referred to Transportation and Homeland Security<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee                           |













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|   |   |   | Companion bill: HB528  |
|    |   | <a href="#"><u>SB78</u></a><br>    | <b>Senate Bill 78</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b><br><br>Relating to promoting awareness and education about the purchase and availability of health coverage.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to State Affairs<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a><br><a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB84</u></a><br>    | <b>Senate Bill 84</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b><br><br>Relating to establishment of a suicide prevention program for public high schools.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a><br><a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB85</u></a><br>    | <b>Senate Bill 85</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b><br><br>Relating to establishment of a suicide prevention pilot program for public high schools.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |
|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB100</u></a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 100</b> <b>Senate Author: Lucio</b><br><br>Relating to professional development institutes for public school teachers and paraprofessionals regarding education of students with disabilities.<br><br>Last Action: 02-24-09 S Scheduled for public hearing on...<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB122</u></a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 122</b> <b>Senate Author: Ellis</b><br><br>Relating to the availability of free pre-kindergarten programs in public schools.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB156</u></a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 156</b> <b>Senate Author: Ellis</b><br><br>Relating to limits on the size of pre-kindergarten classes in public schools.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB326   |











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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>   | <a href="#"><u>SB158</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 158</b> <b>Senate Author: Ellis</b><br><br>Relating to a notification requirement if a nurse is not assigned to a public school campus.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB151 |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TXDOT</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB161</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 161</b> <b>Senate Author: Ellis</b><br><br>Relating to specialty license plates supporting the Safe Routes to School Program.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Transportation & Homeland Sec.<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee               |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>   | <a href="#"><u>SB183</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 183</b> <b>Senate Author: Williams</b><br><br>Relating to a school choice program for certain students with disabilities.<br><br>Last Action: 02-10-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB716               |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>   | <a href="#"><u>SB204</u></a><br>  | <b>Senate Bill 204</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapleigh</b><br><br>Relating to a prohibition of foods containing trans fat; providing a criminal penalty.<br><br>Last Action: 2-11-09 S Referred to Health and Human Services<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee             |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>   | <a href="#"><u>SB205</u></a><br>  | <b>Senate Bill 205</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapleigh</b><br><br>Relating to the Texas Partnership for Children in Nature.<br><br>Last Action: 02-11-09 S Referred to Agriculture & Rural Affairs<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee                                       |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>   | <a href="#"><u>SB282</u></a><br>  | <b>Senate Bill 282</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b><br><br>Relating to grant programs to provide nutrition education to children.<br><br>Last Action: 02-11-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |













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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a><br><a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB283</u></a><br>      | <p><b>Senate Bill 283</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b></p> <p>Relating to the membership and activities of local school health advisory councils – parent as co-chair, meeting at least 4x per year, annual report to the school board</p> <p>Last Action: 02-11-09 S Referred to Education<br/> Caption: Introduced<br/> Status: In committee</p>   |
|    |   | <a href="#"><u>SB332</u></a><br>      | <p><b>Senate Bill 332</b> <b>Senate Author: Carona</b></p> <p>Relating to the adjudication of certain gang-related delinquent conduct.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-11-09 S Referred to Transportation and Homeland Security<br/> Caption: Introduced<br/> Status: In committee</p>  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB343</u></a><br>      | <p><b>Senate Bill 343</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b></p> <p>Relating to the creation of an advisory committee to study the retail availability of healthy foods in certain underserved areas of this state.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-11-09 S Referred to Health &amp; Human Services<br/> Caption: Introduced<br/> Status: In committee</p>  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB344</u></a><br>  | <p><b>Senate Bill 344</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b></p> <p>Relating to the establishment of an advisory committee to study the acceptance at farmers markets of food stamps and benefits under the women, infants and children supplemental food program.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-11-09 S Referred to Agriculture &amp; Rural Affairs<br/> Caption: Introduced<br/> Status: In committee</p> |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB352</u></a><br>  | <p><b>Senate Bill 352</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapleigh</b></p> <p>Relating to a prohibition of trans fatty acids in meals provided to students by school districts.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-17-09 S Referred to Education<br/> Caption: Introduced<br/> Status: In committee</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB395</u></a><br>  | <p><b>Senate Bill 395</b> <b>Senate Author: Lucio</b></p> <p>Relating to creation of the Early Childhood Health and Nutrition Interagency Council.</p> <p>Last Action: 1-05-09 S Filed<br/> Caption: Introduced<br/> Status: Filed</p>   |






















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|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB424</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 424</b> <b>Senate Author: Van de Putte</b><br><br>Relating to the establishment and implementation of a school-based influenza vaccination pilot program.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09<br>S Referred to Health and Human Services<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB506   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>SB451</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 451</b> <b>Senate Author: Van de Putte</b><br><br>Relating to staff development requirements in public schools.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB511  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>SB453</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 453</b> <b>Senate Author: West</b><br><br>Relating to the provision of competitive grants to fund programs for certain public school students assigned to disciplinary alternative education programs or in-school suspension.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB552 |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB455</u></a><br>  | <b>Senate Bill 455</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapiro</b><br><br>Relating to the regulation of the practice of dental assistants, including the delegation of certain dental acts.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 S Referred to Health & Human Services<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB466</u></a><br>  | <b>Senate Bill 466</b> <b>Senate Author: Zaffirini</b><br><br>Relating to excluding a child from the immunization registry.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 S Referred to Health & Human Services<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>SB515</u></a><br>  | <b>Senate Bill 515</b> <b>Senate Author: Ellis</b><br><br>Relating to health education curriculum and instruction in public schools.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 S Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB741  |













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|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a>                                 | <a href="#"><u>SB526</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 526</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b><br><br>Relating to grants for federally qualified health centers.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 S Referred to Health & Human Services<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: HB1169                          |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                  | <a href="#"><u>SB568</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 568</b> <b>Senate Author: Lucio</b><br><br>Relating to the employment of certified counselors by school districts.<br><br>Last Action: 02-28-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                  | <a href="#"><u>SB569</u></a><br>      | <b>Senate Bill 569</b> <b>Senate Author: Lucio</b><br><br>Relating to a school district policy concerning the use of school counselors' work time.<br><br>Last Action: 02-28-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TXDOT</u></a><br><a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB572</u></a><br>    | <b>Senate Bill 572</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapiro</b><br><br>Relating to transportation safety training requirements for certain child-care providers.<br><br>Last Action: 02-03-09 S Referred to Health & Human Services<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee                    |
|  |   | <a href="#"><u>SB591</u></a><br>  | <b>Senate Bill 591</b> <b>Senate Author: Van de Putte</b><br><br>Relating to the establishment of an evidence-based youth development competitive grant pilot program.<br><br>Last Action: 01-29-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed  |
|  |   | <a href="#"><u>SB592</u></a><br>  | <b>Senate Bill 592</b> <b>Senate Author: Van de Putte</b><br><br>Relating to the capacity of certain minors to consent to examination or medical treatment related to contraception.<br><br>Last Action: 01-29-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed<br>Companion bill: HB891 |






















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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB648</u></a><br>   | <b>Senate Bill 648</b> <b>Senate Author: Van de Putte</b><br><br>Relating to the right of an employee who is a parent of a child enrolled in a special education program to time off from work to meet with certain persons affecting the education of the child.<br><br>Last Action: 02-03-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed<br>Companion bill: HB615 |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB670</u></a><br>   | <b>Senate Bill 670</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapleigh</b><br><br>Relating to design and construction standards for newly constructed state buildings, public school facilities and higher education facilities.<br><br>Last Action: 02-03-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB701</u></a><br>   | <b>Senate Bill 701</b> <b>Senate Author: Ellis</b><br><br>Relating to state assistance to fund public school instructional facilities that meet certain design and construction, renovation, or improvement standards.<br><br>Last Action: 02-06-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed   |
|  |   | <a href="#"><u>SB706</u></a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 706</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b><br><br>Relating to incentives to recruit and retain allied health education program faculty.<br><br>Last Action: 02-06-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a><br><a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB892</u></a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 892</b> <b>Senate Author: Nelson</b><br><br>Relating to inclusion in a public school campus improvement plan of an evaluation of the campus coordinated health program.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 S Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>SB910</u></a><br> | <b>Senate Bill 910</b> <b>Senate Author: Lucio</b><br><br>Relating to free breakfast for certain public school students.<br><br>Last Action: 03-09-09 S. Referred to Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |













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|    | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>SB1027</u></a><br>   | <p><b>Senate Bill 1027</b> <b>Senate Author: Watson</b></p> <p>Relating to the establishment of an interagency farm-to-school coordination task force.</p> <p>Last Action: 04-06-09 S Committee report printed and distributed<br/>Caption Version: Senate Committee Report<br/>Status: Out of committee<br/>Vote: Ayes=5 Nays=0 Present Not Voting=0 Absent=0<br/>Companion bill: HB1840</p>  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB1076</u></a><br>   | <p><b>Senate Bill 1076</b> <b>Senate Author: Van de Putte</b></p> <p>Relating to abstinence education in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-13-09 S Referred to Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: HB1567</p>  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB1197</u></a><br>   | <p><b>Senate Bill 1197</b> <b>Senate Author: Van de Putte</b></p> <p>Relating to establishing a local behavioral health intervention pilot project.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-13-09 S Referred to Health &amp; Human Services<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: HB1232</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>SB1344</u></a><br> | <p><b>Senate Bill 1344</b> <b>Senate Author: Watson</b></p> <p>Relating to an alcohol awareness component of the health curriculum used in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 04-14-09 Scheduled for public hearing on...<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>SB1363</u></a><br> | <p><b>Senate Bill 1363</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapiro</b></p> <p>Relating to clarification of the essential knowledge and skills of the public school curriculum and the evaluation of conforming curriculum management systems.</p> <p>Last Action: 04-07-09<br/>S Committee report printed and distributed<br/>Caption version: Senate Committee Report<br/>Status: Out of committee<br/>Vote: Ayes=8 Nays=0 Present Not Voting=0 Absent=1<br/>Companion bill: HB2155</p> |



















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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB1486</u></a><br>   | <p><b>Senate Bill 1486</b> <b>Senate Author: Watson</b></p> <p>Relating to the qualifications of special education personnel in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-17-09 S Referred to Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB1487</u></a><br>   | <p><b>Senate Bill 1487</b> <b>Senate Author: Watson</b></p> <p>Relating to the statewide plan for delivery of services to public school students with disabilities and resources for teachers of public school students with special health needs.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-17-09 S Referred to Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: HB3173</p>   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB1525</u></a><br>   | <p><b>Senate Bill 1525</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapleigh</b></p> <p>Relating to physical education and physical activity requirements in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-17-09 S Referred to Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB1528</u></a><br> | <p><b>Senate Bill 1528</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapleigh</b></p> <p>Relating to advertising to promote good health by certain persons who advertise food or beverages in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-17-09 S Referred to Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB1577</u></a><br> | <p><b>Senate Bill 1577</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapiro</b></p> <p>Relating to excused absences from public school attendance for a student diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder to attend a health care appointment.</p> <p>Last Action: 04-08-09<br/>S Committee Report Printed and Distributed<br/>Caption Version: Senate Committee Report<br/>Status: Out of committee<br/>Vote: Ayes=0 Nays=0 Present Not Voting=0 Absent=0</p> |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB1718</u></a><br> | <p><b>Senate Bill 1718</b> <b>Senate Author: Uresti</b></p> <p>Relating to physical examination requirements for participation in extracurricular athletic activities.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-20-09 S Referred to Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |













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|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB2060</u></a><br>   | <p><b>Senate Bill 2060</b> <b>Senate Author: Lucio</b></p> <p>Relating to school bus safety, including the authority of a school district to implement a monitoring system that captures images of vehicles passing illegally; creating an offense and providing for the imposition of civil and criminal penalties.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-31-09<br/>S Referred to Transportation and Homeland Security<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: HB4628</p> |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>SB2083</u></a><br> <br>  | <p><b>Senate Bill 2083</b> <b>Senate Author: Shapiro   Lucio</b></p> <p>Relating to surveys concerning school district and open-enrollment charter school special education programs and grants to districts, campuses, and open-enrollment charter schools that perform well on the surveys and on other indicators.</p> <p>Last Action: 04-07-09 S Scheduled for public hearing on...<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |













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










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|    | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB150</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 150</b> <b>House Author: Smith, Todd</b></p> <p>Relating to the application of the sales and use tax to the sale of certain food products sold at school events.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-12-09 H Referred to Ways and Means<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>     |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB151</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 151</b> <b>House Author: Coleman</b></p> <p>Relating to a notification requirement if a nurse is not assigned to a public school campus.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-12-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: SB158</p> |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB153</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 153</b> <b>House Author: Olivo</b></p> <p>Relating to the promotion of students to certain grade levels in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-12-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
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|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB160</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 160</b> <b>House Author: Deshotel</b></p> <p>Relating to the creation and administration of a community-based at-risk youth program.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-12-09 H Referred to Corrections<br/>Caption: Introduced      Status: In committee</p>                                   |





















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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB172</u></a><br>    | <p><b>House Bill 172</b> <b>House Author: Olivo</b></p> <p>Relating to the right of a parent of a public school student to prompt notice of certain disciplinary action taken against the student.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-12-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>     |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB188</u></a><br>    | <p><b>House Bill 188</b> <b>House Author: Alonzo</b></p> <p>Relating to the rights of children and the education of parents regarding their duties as parents. (Including nutrition education.)</p> <p>Last Action: 02-12-09 H Referred to Human Services<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>          |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB 224</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 224</b> <b>House Author: Olivo</b></p> <p>Relating to available training for school resource officers and school district peace officers.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB275</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 275</b> <b>House Author: Rodriguez</b></p> <p>Relating to methods to increase the number of students who participate in school breakfast programs.</p> <p>Last Action: 11-17-08 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed</p>  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB279</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 279</b> <b>House Author: Anchia</b></p> <p>Relating to reimbursement for medical assistance provided by a school-based health center to certain recipients.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Human Services<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                             |



















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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>   | <a href="#"><u>HB289</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 289</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b><br><br>Relating to the provision of courses in behavioral modification by disciplinary alternative education programs and juvenile justice alternative education programs.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>   | <a href="#"><u>HB294</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 294</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b><br><br>Relating to a maximum class size for certain public school students who perform poorly on an assessment instrument.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |
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|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>   | <a href="#"><u>HB316</u></a><br>  | <b>House Bill 316</b> <b>House Author: Raymond</b><br><br>Relating to mandatory kindergarten attendance in public schools.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TXDPS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB318</u></a><br>  | <b>House Bill 318</b> <b>House Author: Raymond</b><br><br>Relating to a pilot program establishing a safe schools unit in the Department of Public Safety.<br><br>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Corrections<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee  |



















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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB326</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 326</b> <b>House Author: Raymond</b></p> <p>Relating to limits on the size of pre-kindergarten classes in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: SB156</p>                      |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB327</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 327</b> <b>House Author: Raymond</b></p> <p>Relating to a grant program for after-school child-care programs provided by school districts.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                               |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB338</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 338</b> <b>House Author: Leibowitz</b></p> <p>Relating to ensuring that at least 75 percent of dedicated revenues are spent for the purpose of the dedication.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Appropriations<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>             |
|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB349</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 349</b> <b>House Author: Strama</b></p> <p>Relating to placement of public school students with certain disabilities in juvenile justice alternative education programs.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB368</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 368</b> <b>House Author: Anderson</b></p> <p>Relating to site-based public school discipline policy committees.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-17-09 H Referred to Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
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|    | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB482</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 482</b> <b>House Author: Rodriguez</b></p> <p>Relating to programs to increase the availability of fresh produce to, and the purchase and consumption of fresh produce by, certain low-income individuals.</p> <p>Last Action: 01-05-09 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed</p>  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB484</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 484</b> <b>House Author: Gonzales</b></p> <p>Relating to reports of incidents of bullying at public schools and at public school activities.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB504</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 504</b> <b>House Author: Kolkhorst</b></p> <p>Relating to the creation of an offense for a parent's contribution to a child's failure to comply with a sentence or court order relating to a disruptive activity or disruption of class on school property.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |
|  | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB506</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 506</b> <b>House Author: Howard, Donna</b></p> <p>Relating to the establishment and implementation of a school-based influenza vaccination pilot program.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Health<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: SB424</p>  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB511</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 511</b> <b>House Author: Patrick, Diane</b></p> <p>Relating to staff development requirements in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: SB451</p>  |













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|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB539</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 539</b> <b>House Author: Raymond</b></p> <p>Relating to a physical and mental examination of a child subject to the juvenile justice system.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Corrections<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB540</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 540</b> <b>House Author: Raymond</b></p> <p>Relating to bullying as a ground for removing a public school student from class and placing the student in a disciplinary alternative education program.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>         |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB541</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 541</b> <b>House Author: Raymond</b></p> <p>Relating to assessment of public school students receiving special education services.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |






















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|     | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB542</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 542</b> <b>House Author: Raymond</b></p> <p>Relating to placement of public school students in Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps programs as an alternative in certain circumstances to placement in disciplinary or juvenile justice alternative education programs.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |
|     | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB552</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 552</b> <b>House Author: Madden</b></p> <p>Relating to the provision of competitive grants to fund programs for certain public school students assigned to disciplinary alternative education programs or in-school suspension.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: SB453</p>                   |
|    |                            | <a href="#"><u>HB582</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 582</b> <b>House Author: Dukes</b></p> <p>Relating to informing the parents and guardians of certain children about the availability of the child health plan and medical assistance programs.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-08-09<br/>H Referred to Pensions, Investments and Financial Services<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|     |                            | <a href="#"><u>HB584</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 584</b> <b>House Author: Dukes</b></p> <p>Relating to health benefits coverage for certain persons under the child health plan, medical assistance and other programs.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Human Services<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB615</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 615</b> <b>House Author: Turner</b></p> <p>Relating to the right of an employee who is a parent of a child enrolled in a special education program to time off from work to meet with certain persons affecting the education of the child.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Business and Industry<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: SB648</p>  |













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|    |                            | <a href="#"><u>HB620</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 620</b> <b>House Author: Davis, John</b></p> <p>Relating to behavioral health services for children and establishment of the Children's Behavioral Health Council.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Human Services<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB624</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 624</b> <b>House Author: Flores</b></p> <p>Relating to state funding for school districts for transportation of students who would be subject to hazardous traffic conditions while walking.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                      |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB626</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 626</b> <b>House Author: Allen</b></p> <p>Relating to an educational involvement agreement setting forth the respective responsibilities of students, parents, teachers and principals in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>         |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB635</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 635</b> <b>House Author: Guillen</b></p> <p>Relating to the authority of the Texas Education Agency to seek, accept and distribute grants available for the benefit of public elementary and secondary education.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB683</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 683</b> <b>House Author: Farrar</b></p> <p>Relating to contact between a public school student who assaults another student and the student victim.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB716</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 716</b> <b>House Author: Riddle</b></p> <p>Relating to a school choice program for certain students with disabilities.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-19-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: SB183</p>  |























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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>HB767</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 767</b> <b>House Author: Guillen</b></p> <p>Relating to a requirement that justice and municipal courts obtain evidence that certain minors are in compliance with mandatory school attendance requirements.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-19-09 H Referred to Corrections<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>    |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>HB828</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 828</b> <b>House Author: Hochberg</b></p> <p>Relating to a grant available to school districts to provide services to students with disabilities.</p> <p>Last Action: 01-27-09 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed</p>  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>HB837</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 837</b> <b>House Author: Marquez</b></p> <p>Relating to the deadline for a school district to file a complaint concerning a student who fails to attend school without excuse.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                             |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>HB850</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 850</b> <b>House Author: Eissler</b></p> <p>Relating to repeal on a periodic basis of the provisions of Titles 1 and 2 of the Education Code to provide for legislative review of the primary state statutes governing public education.</p> <p>Last Action: 01-29-09 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed</p> |
|  | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a>                               | <a href="#"><u>HB891</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 891</b> <b>House Author: Villarreal</b></p> <p>Relating to the capacity of certain minors to consent to examination or medical treatment related to contraception.</p> <p>Last Action: 01-29-09 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed<br/>Companion bill: SB592</p>   |













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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB901</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 901</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b></p> <p>Relating to referral of public school students to law enforcement officials for violations of an independent school district student code of conduct.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |
|    |                            | <a href="#"><u>HB908</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 908</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b></p> <p>Relating to an affirmative defense available to certain students who engage in sexual contact with another student at least 13 years of age.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>    |
|       | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB919</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 919</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b></p> <p>Relating to the applicability of provisions of the Education Code to certain alternative education programs.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB935</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 935</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b></p> <p>Relating to the enforcement of certain violations under a student code of conduct.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB936</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 936</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b></p> <p>Relating to the prevention of harassment in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB937</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 937</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b></p> <p>Relating to public school disciplinary procedures and the evaluation of disciplinary alternative education programs.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                                  |













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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB953</u></a><br>    | <p><b>House Bill 953</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b></p> <p>Relating to the employment of school district peace officers and the enforcement of certain violations under a student code of conduct.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>            |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB956</u></a><br>    | <p><b>House Bill 956</b> <b>House Author: Villarreal</b></p> <p>Relating to the provision by the Texas Education Agency of federal earned income tax credit educational materials to school districts for distribution to students' parents.</p> <p>Last Action: 01-30-09 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed</p> |
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|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB999</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 999</b> <b>House Author: Dutton</b></p> <p>Relating to the closure of a school campus by the board of trustees of a school district.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: HB1167</p>                               |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1001</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 1001</b> <b>House Author: Bolton</b></p> <p>Relating to limits on the size of public school classes in pre-kindergarten, kindergarten, and grades one through four.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                           |



















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|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1005</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 1005</b> <b>House Author: McClendon</b><br><br>Relating to the ability of an employee to participate in certain school-related activities of the employee's child.<br><br>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Business and Industry<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1017</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 1017</b> <b>House Author: Turner, Chris</b><br><br>Relating to grants to certain school districts and countywide public school transportation systems to be used to pay costs in purchasing school buses capable of using natural gas or propane as fuel.<br><br>Last Action: 02-03-09 H Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed                                |
|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1020</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 1020</b> <b>House Author: Deshotel</b><br><br>Relating to the use, exhibition or possession of a firearm by public school students participating in certain school-sponsored programs and activities sponsored or supported by the Parks and Wildlife Department.<br><br>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed |
|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1025</u></a><br>  | <b>House Bill 1025</b> <b>House Author: Edwards</b><br><br>Relating to preparation of public school students to enter the workforce.<br><br>Last Action: 02-23-09 H Referred to Technology, Economic Development and Workforce<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |
|  <br> | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1041</u></a><br>  | <b>House Bill 1041</b> <b>House Author: Parker</b><br><br>Relating to school district policies addressing sexual abuse of children.<br><br>Last Action: 02-03-09 H Filed<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: Filed  |
|   | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1050</u></a><br>  | <b>House Bill 1050</b> <b>House Author: Madden</b><br><br>Relating to placement of public school students with certain disabilities in disciplinary alternative education programs and juvenile justice alternative education programs.<br><br>Last Action: 02-04-09 H Filed<br>Caption: Introduced Status: Filed   |






















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|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1067</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 1067</b> <b>House Author: Naishtat</b></p> <p>Relating to a memorandum of understanding between certain authorized entities to share suicide data that does not identify any individual.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-04-09 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed</p>   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB1085</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 1085</b> <b>House Author: Edwards</b></p> <p>Relating to an after-school pilot program offered by school districts to middle and junior high school students and their parents to prepare students for postsecondary education and training.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-24-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB1108</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 1108</b> <b>House Author: Rodriguez</b></p> <p>Relating to providing certain parents with written and audio taped translations of individualized education programs developed for public school students receiving special education services.</p> <p>Last Action: 02-06-09 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed</p>                             |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB1410</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 1410</b> <b>House Author: Ortiz</b></p> <p>Relating to student information required to be provided at the time of enrollment in public schools. (food allergies)</p> <p>Last Action: 02-18-09 H Filed<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Filed</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB1435</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 1435</b> <b>House Author: Castro</b></p> <p>Relating to policies concerning the use of school counselors' work time.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-02-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee<br/>Companion bill: SB569</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB1520</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 1520</b> <b>House Author: Rose</b></p> <p>Relating to state educational mandates imposed on school districts.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-02-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced Status: In committee</p>  |






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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a><br><a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB1567</u></a><br> <br>          | <b>House Bill 1567</b> <b>House Author: Villarreal</b><br><br>Relating to abstinence education in public schools.<br><br>Last Action: 03-31-09 H Left pending in Public Education Committee<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: SB1076  |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a>                               | <a href="#"><u>HB1828</u></a><br>   | <b>House Bill 1828</b> <b>House Author: Donna Howard</b><br><br>Relating to information submitted to, maintained in, and released from the immunization registry.<br><br>Last Action: 03-04-09 H Referred to Public Health Committee<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: SB1251                 |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TDA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>HB1840</u></a><br> <br>  | <b>House Bill 1840</b> <b>House Authors: Kleinschmidt/Naishtat</b><br><br>Relating to the establishment of an interagency farm-to-school coordination task force.<br><br>Last action: 03-24-09 H Left pending in Agriculture and Livestock Committee<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: SB1027 |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>HB1855</u></a><br>   | <b>House Bill1855</b> <b>House Author: John Davis</b><br><br>Relating to physical activity requirements for students in public schools.<br><br>Last action: 03-04-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee<br>Companion bill: SB890   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>                                | <a href="#"><u>HB1877</u></a><br>   | <b>House Bill 1877</b> <b>House Authors: Alvarado/Rios Ybarra</b><br><br>Relating to physical activity requirements for students enrolled in public school pre-kindergarten programs.<br><br>Last action: 03-05-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced      Status: In committee                            |

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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB2018</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 2018</b> <b>House Author: Strama</b></p> <p>Relating to the inclusion of a student representative on a district-level planning and decision-making committee.</p> <p>Last Action: 04-02-09 H Reported favorably as substituted<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Out of committee<br/>Vote: Ayes=9 Nays=0 Present Not Voting=0 Absent=2</p>   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB2220</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 2220</b> <b>House Author: Farrar</b></p> <p>Relating to the authority of the executive commissioner of the Health and Human Services Commission to require immunization against human papillomavirus for a person's admission to elementary or secondary school.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-09-09 H Referred to Public Health<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB2262</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 2262</b> <b>House Authors: Eissler-Bonnen-Maldonado</b></p> <p>Relating to a requirement under the public school financial accountability rating system that a school district spend a specified percentage of district operating funds for instructional purposes.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-24-09 H Left pending in Public Education Com.<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB2264</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 2264</b> <b>House Author: Eissler</b></p> <p>Relating to establishment of an after-school grant program for certain students in public middle or junior high schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-24-09 H Left pending in Public Education Com.<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB2302</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 2302</b> <b>House Author: Allen</b></p> <p>Relating to the use of corporal punishment in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-10-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB2311</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 2311</b> <b>House Author: Olivo</b></p> <p>Relating to requiring school districts to report compliance with physical activity requirements.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-10-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |

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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB2452</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 2452</b> <b>House Author: Eiland</b></p> <p>Relating to size limitations for certain physical education classes in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-11-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                                      |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB2493</u></a><br>   | <p><b>House Bill 2493</b> <b>House Author: Castro</b></p> <p>Relating to a notification requirement if a counselor is not assigned to a public school campus.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-11-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>                            |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB2611</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 2611</b> <b>House Author: Patrick</b></p> <p>Relating to establishing an interim committee to study the provision of dental services to certain public school students.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-12-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB2711</u></a><br> | <p><b>House Bill 2711</b> <b>House Author: Coleman</b></p> <p>Relating to the assignment of school nurses at public school campuses.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-17-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB3076</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 3076</b> <b>House Author: Deshotel   Eissler</b></p> <p>Relating to a parenting and paternity awareness program used in the health curriculum for public schools.</p> <p>Last Action 04-09-09 H Reported Favorably w/o amendments<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: Out of committee<br/>Vote: Ayes=6 Nays=1 Present Not Voting=0 Absent=4</p> |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB3199</u></a><br>      | <p><b>House Bill 3199</b> <b>House Author: Flynn</b></p> <p>Relating to steroid testing of certain public school students.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB3229</u></a><br>    | <p><b>House Bill 3229</b> <b>House Author: Madden</b></p> <p>Relating to a pilot project for a drug and alcohol abuse recovery high school program.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-18-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB3569</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 3569</b> <b>House Author: Olivo</b></p> <p>Relating to plans and procedures encouraging parental involvement in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-19-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>   |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB3741</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 3741</b> <b>House Authors: Eissler   Maldonado   Lucio III   Farabee</b></p> <p>Relating to physical education curriculum and instruction in public schools.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-19-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p>  |

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|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB3868</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 3868</b> <b>House Author: Guillen</b><br><br>Relating to school safety.<br><br>Last Action: 03-23-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee   |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB4208</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 4208</b> <b>House Author: Maldonado</b><br><br>Relating to idling the diesel engine of a school bus while the bus is parked at a public school or school event.<br><br>Last Action: 04-16-09 H Scheduled for Public Hearing on...<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee |
|    | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB4407</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 4407</b> <b>House Author: Taylor</b><br><br>Relating to maintaining a supply of anaphylaxis medicine on public school campuses served by school nurses.<br><br>Last Action: 04-16-09 H Scheduled for Public Hearing on....<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee        |
|    | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB4499</u></a><br>      | <b>House Bill 4499</b> <b>House Author: Hamilton</b><br><br>Relating to school bus safety.<br><br>Last Action: 03-25-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee  |
|  | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB4507</u></a><br>  | <b>House Bill 4507</b> <b>House Author: Coleman</b><br><br>Relating to reporting by the Department of State Health Services regarding services at school-based health centers.<br><br>Last Action: 03-25-09 H Referred to Public Health<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee         |
|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a>  | <a href="#"><u>HB4615</u></a><br>  | <b>House Bill 4615</b> <b>House Author: Rose</b><br><br>Relating to the coordinated health program for elementary, middle, and junior high school students.<br><br>Last Action: 03-26-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee                         |
|  | <a href="#"><u>DSHS</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB4633</u></a><br>  | <b>House Bill 4633</b> <b>House Author: Lucio III</b><br><br>Relating to the care of elementary and secondary school students with food or other life-threatening allergies.<br><br>Last Action: 03-26-09 H Referred to Public Education<br>Caption: Introduced<br>Status: In committee        |

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|  | <a href="#"><u>TEA</u></a> | <a href="#"><u>HB4672</u></a><br>  | <p><b>House Bill 4672</b> <b>House Author: Olivo</b></p> <p>Relating to reports of a public school student's physical fitness assessment results to the student's parent and efforts to improve the physical fitness of public school students.</p> <p>Last Action: 03-26-09 H Referred to Public Education<br/>Caption: Introduced<br/>Status: In committee</p> |